

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement in the Office Action mailed February 17, 2010, Applicants hereby respond on March 17, 2010, and hereby elects the invention covered by Group I, claims 1-16, drawn to an electrode with nitroreductase. Applicants further reserve the right to file a divisional application for the non-elected claims.

An action on the merits is requested.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 22-0261, under Order No.31229-232367.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: March 17, 2010

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